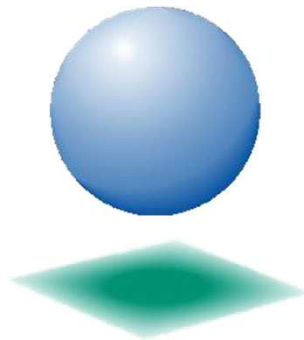




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# CH2M HILL Scope



## K Area

- ✓ K East Basin Demolished
- ✓ Interim Safe Storage of K East Reactor Complete
- ✓ K West Sludge Removed from the River Corridor
- ✓ Interim Safe Storage of K West Reactor Initiated
- ✓ K Area Final ROD Remedial Actions Complete and TSD Units Closed with the Exception of those Associated with K West
- ✓ K Area Groundwater Remedies Implemented
- ✓ 2,300 Tons of Scrap Nuclear Fuel Removed
- ✓ 109 Facilities Demolished
- ✓ 2 Waste Sites Remediated
- ✓ ~361,000 Tons of Soil Removed
- ✓ Initiate 100-K Transfer to Legacy Management

## Central Plateau Cleanup

- ✓ 200 West Carbon Tetrachloride, Uranium and Technetium 99 Groundwater Remedies Implemented
- ✓ Conduct Additional Cleanup as Funds Become Available

## 400 Area

Fast Flux Test Facility in Surveillance and Maintenance

## 200 Areas

- ✓ Special Nuclear Material Shipped Off-site
- ✓ Slightly Irradiated Fuel Shipped to the Canister Storage Building for Safeguarding
- ✓ PFP Complex Reduced to Slab on Grade
- ✓ 18 Facilities Demolished
- ✓ U Plant Zone D&D Completed
- ✓ Initiate Purex, PFP & 200 West Ponds Zone Closure
- ✓ Initiate Cesium/Strontium Capsule Disposition



ROD = Record of Decision  
TSD = Treatment, Storage, Disposal

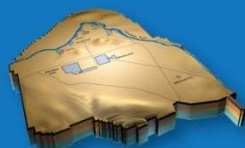




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**5 YEARS** of Progress on the Plateau

**CH2M HILL** Plateau Remediation Company is the prime contractor for the U.S. Department of Energy Richland Operations Office managing the 10-year, \$5.7-billion Plateau Remediation Contract to safely and efficiently reduce hazards to the inner most area of the Hanford Site.



**OUR WORK** is moving hazards away from the Columbia River and shrinking the active area of cleanup to just 75 square miles by:

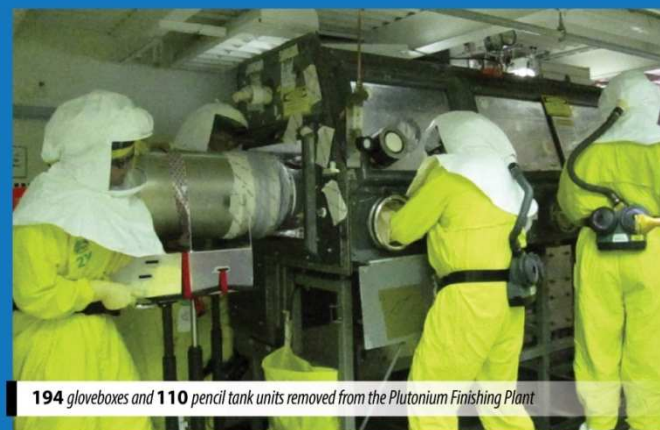
- Maintaining safe and compliant operations
- Demolishing the Plutonium Finishing Plant to slab on grade in 2016
- Treating groundwater to shrink contamination plumes and protect the Columbia River
- Developing decision documents for long-term cleanup along the river
- Retrieving highly radioactive sludge stored 400 yards away from the river
- Managing some of DOE's highest hazard facilities and waste streams
- Partnering with small businesses and supporting the local community



331mi<sup>2</sup> cleanup footprint reduction



157 buildings demolished



194 gloveboxes and 110 pencil tank units removed from the Plutonium Finishing Plant



1<sup>st</sup> phase of highly radioactive sludge retrieved



5.4 billion gallons of contaminated groundwater treated, 50 tons of contaminants removed



2,866 m<sup>3</sup> of transuranic waste retrieved

January 2014, CHPRC1401-04

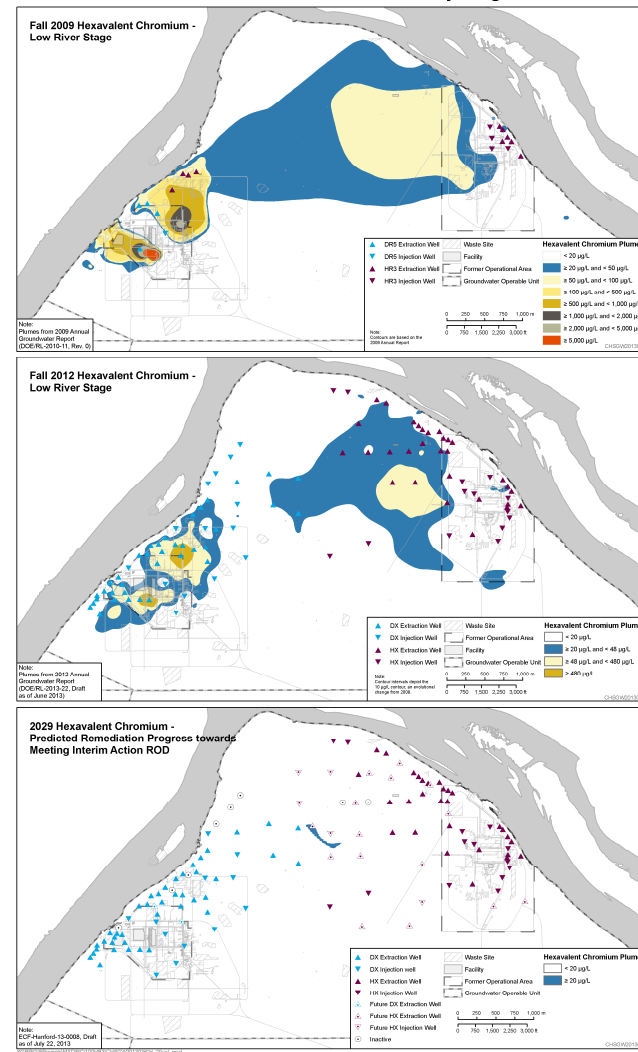
# Progress in 2013

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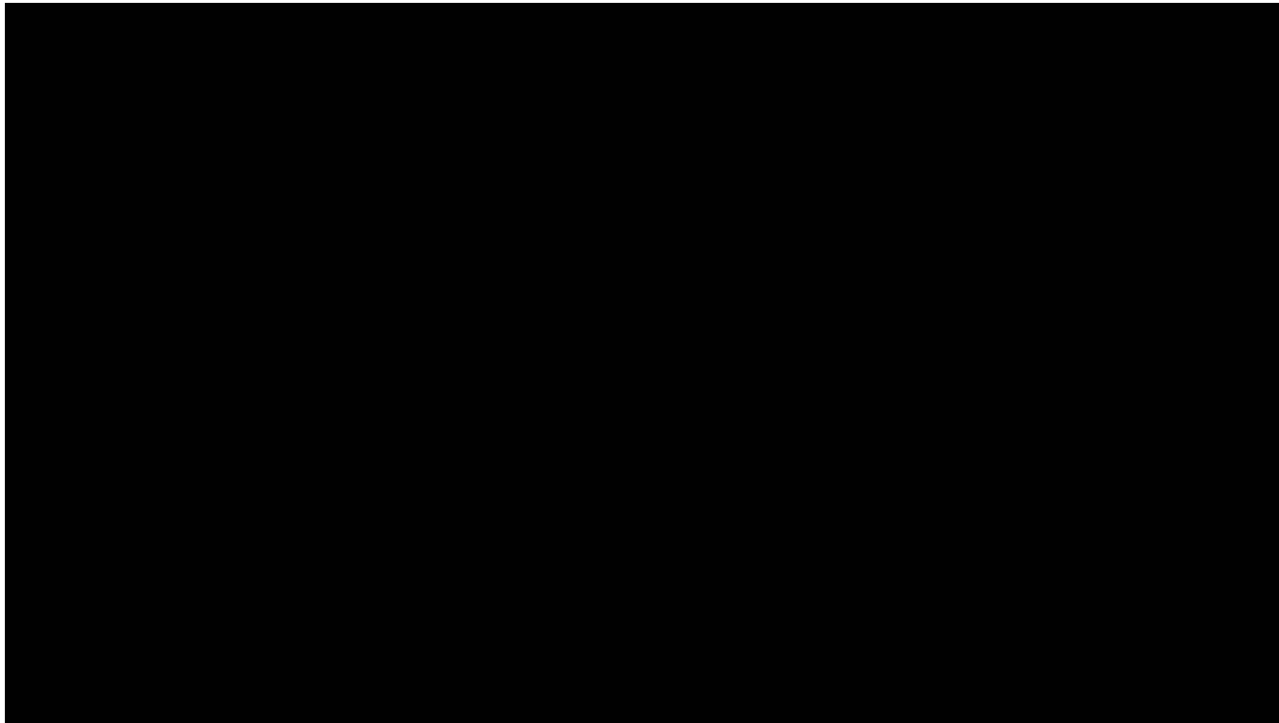
- Plutonium Finishing Plant deactivation reached 68% complete
- Treated 1.9 billion gallons of groundwater and removed a record amount of contaminants
- Surpassed \$1 billion cumulative awarded to small businesses

100-HR-3 Hexavalent Chromium Remedy Progression



# Worker Involvement

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# Issues/Challenges, cont.



- Mining efficiencies to accomplish more cleanup work
- Maintaining cleanout and waste processing capabilities
- Adapting to changing funding profiles and priorities



*Preparing large pieces of contaminated equipment, called gloveboxes, for disposition at PFP*



*Installing aquifer tubes along the Columbia River*

# Look Ahead FY2014



- Plutonium Finishing Plant
  - Remove 13 gloveboxes
  - Disposition 25 pencil tanks units
  - Demolish 9 ancillary facilities
- Groundwater Treatment
  - Treat 1.8B gallons of contaminated groundwater
  - Remove more than 45,000kg of contaminants
- K Basin Sludge
  - Complete construction of K West Annex for radioactive sludge removal
  - Procure long-lead engineered equipment
- Waste Encapsulation and Storage Facility
  - Preliminary procurement/engineering for transferring highly radioactive cesium and strontium capsules to dry storage
  - Addressing the aging ventilation system



*Removing a glovebox from PFP*



*Placing concrete for the KW Annex*

# Richland Operations Office – Hanford's Site Services Model

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- The Mission Support Contract offers a single contractor responsible for base operations and infrastructure at the Hanford Site, while other prime contractors focus on Hanford cleanup.
  - Site Infrastructure
  - Emergency Services
  - Security
- Saved over \$161 million since 2009

